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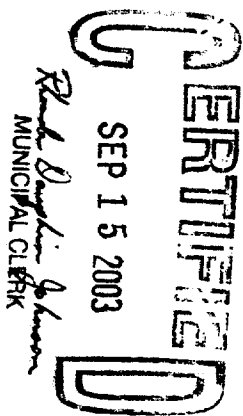
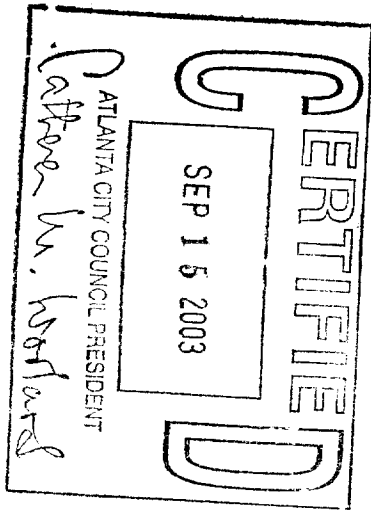
CLAIM OF: **CALVIN DEANDRE FORTE**
through his attorney,
STEVEN J. JACKSON, ESQ.
1800 Peachtree Street, Suite 300
Atlanta, Georgia 30309

For bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained
when Police used excessive force during an
altercation on June 8, 2002 at 714 Spring Street.

THIS ADVERSED REPORT IS
APPROVED

BY: _____

[Signature]
JERRY L. DELOACH
DEPUTY CITY ATTORNEY



ADVERSE REPORT

PUBLIC SAFETY &

LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

DATE: *9/9/03*

CHAIR: *[Signature]*

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RE: Calvin Deandre Forte

Dear Attorney Jackson:

I sincerely regret that your client has been adversely affected by the circumstances raised in his/her claim for damages against the City of Atlanta. Your time and patience in this matter has been greatly appreciated.

However, I must notify you that the Atlanta City Council Adopted an Adverse Report on your client's claim at its regular meeting on September 15, 2003. In consultation with the City's Law Department, who conducted an investigation of the situation, the Council has determined that the City cannot accept responsibility for this matter and therefore cannot pay this claim.

If you desire any further information, please contact the **City Attorney's Office/Claims Division** at (404) 330-6400.

Yours very truly,

Rhonda Dauphin Johnson, CMC
Municipal Clerk

cc: Claims Division/Law Department

DEPARTMENT OF LAW - CLAIM INVESTIGATION SUMMARY

Claim No. 02L0884

Date: August 26, 2003

Claimant /Victim CALVIN DEANDRE FORTE
BY: (Atty) (Ins. Co.) Steven J. Jackson, Esq.
Address: The Macquarium Building, 1800 Peachtree Street, Suite 300, Atlanta, Georgia 30309
Subrogation: Claim for Property damage \$ Bodily Injury \$ unspecified
Date of Notice: 11/27/02 Method: Written, Proper X Improper
Conforms to Notice: O.C.G.A. §36-33-5 X Ante Litem (6 Mo.) X
Date of Occurrence 06/08/02 Place: 714 Spring Street
Department POLICE Division
Employee involved Disciplinary Action:

NATURE OF CLAIM: Claimant alleges that he sustained bodily injuries when excessive force was used against him by Atlanta Police as he was attempting to leave the scene of an altercation. However, a municipal corporation shall not be liable for the torts of policemen or other officers engaged in the discharge of the duties imposed on them by law as set forth in O.C.G.A. §36-33-3.

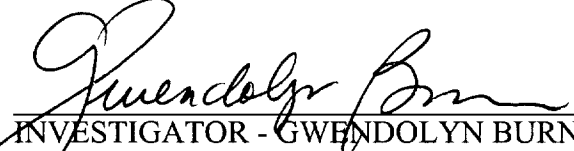
INVESTIGATION:

Statements: City employee Claimant Others Written Oral
Pictures Diagrams Reports: Police X Dept Report Other X
Traffic citations issued: City Driver Claimant Driver
Citation disposition: City Driver Claimant Driver

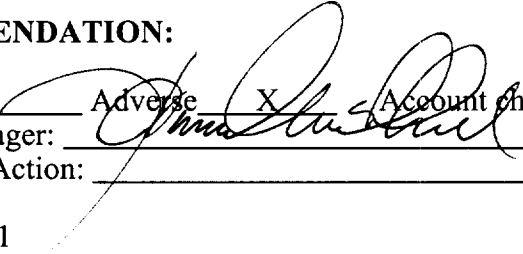
BASIS OF RECOMMENDATION:

Function: Governmental X Ministerial
Improper Notice More than Six Months Other Damages reasonable
City not involved Offer rejected Compromise settlement
Repair/replacement by Ins. Co. Repair/replacement by City Forces
Claimant Negligent City Negligent Joint Claim Abandoned

Respectfully submitted,


INVESTIGATOR - GWENDOLYN BURNS

RECOMMENDATION:

Pay \$ Adverse X Account charged: 1A01 2PO1 2J01 2H01
Claims Manager:  Concur/date 08/27/03
Committee Action: Council Action

RCS# 5027
9/15/03
2:51 PM

Atlanta City Council

Regular Session

CONSENT I

CONSENT I PGS 1-13, EXCEPT:03-R-1449
03-R-1460, 03-R-1463
ADOPT

YEAS: 10
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 4
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 2

NV Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Mitchell
Y Starnes	Y Fauver	B Martin	Y Norwood
NV Young	NV Shook	B Maddox	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Muller	Y Boazman	NV Woolard

CONSENT I

9-15-03 Council Meeting	
ITEMS ADOPTED ON CONSENT	ITEMS ADVERSE ON CONSENT
1. 03-O-1347 2. 03-O-1451 3. 03-O-1311 4. 03-O-1443 5. 03-O-1319 6. 03-O-1317 7. 03-O-1441 8. 03-O-1447 9. 03-O-1109 10. 03-O-1329 11. 03-O-1330 12. 03-R-1371 13. 03-R-1372 14. 03-R-1373 15. 03-R-1374 16. 03-R-1437 17. 03-R-1458 18. 03-R-1459 19. 03-R-1383 20. 03-R-1446 21. 03-R-1456 22. 03-R-1316 23. 03-R-1337 24. 03-R-1381 25. 03-R-1382 26. 03-R-1449 27. 03-R-1390 28. 03-R-1392 29. 03-R-1393 30. 03-R-1394 31. 03-R-1395 32. 03-R-1396 33. 03-R-1397 34. 03-R-1398	35. 03-R-1399 36. 03-R-1400 37. 03-R-1401 38. 03-R-1402 39. 03-R-1403 40. 03-R-1404 41. 03-R-1405 42. 03-R-1406 43. 03-R-1407 44. 03-R-1408 45. 03-R-1409 46. 03-R-1410 47. 03-R-1411 48. 03-R-1412 49. 03-R-1413 50. 03-R-1414 51. 03-R-1415 52. 03-R-1416 53. 03-R-1417 54. 03-R-1418 55. 03-R-1419 56. 03-R-1420 57. 03-R-1421 58. 03-R-1422 59. 03-R-1423 60. 03-R-1424 61. 03-R-1425 62. 03-R-1426 63. 03-R-1427 64. 03-R-1428 65. 03-R-1429 66. 03-R-1430 67. 03-R-1431 68. 03-R-1432

Consent I Vote: 10 Yeas; 0Nays: (See RCS #5027) ; 9Yeas; 0Nays: (See RCS #5008)
Items Removed from the Consent Agenda: 03-R-1460; 03-R-1463; Mitchell abstained on 03-R-1449;